

SECOND DAY.

(Tuesday, September 14, 1926.)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Satterwhite.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

Acker.	High.
Albritton.	Hornaday.
Alexander	Jacks.
of Bastrop.	Johnson.
Alexander	Jones.
of Limestone.	Jordan.
Anderson.	Kayton.
Atkinson.	Kemble.
Avis.	King.
Baker.	Kinnear.
Barker.	Kittrell.
Barron.	Laird.
Bateman.	Lane of Hamilton.
Bean.	Lane of Harrison.
Bird.	Lipscomb.
Bobbitt.	Loftin.
Boggs.	Low.
Brown.	Mankin.
Bryant.	Masterson.
Cade.	Maxwell.
Coffey.	McDonald.
Conway.	McFarlane.
Cody.	McGill.
Covey.	McKean.
Cox of Lamar.	Montgomery.
Cox of Navarro.	Moore.
Cummings.	Morris.
Dale.	Nicholson.
Daniels.	Parish.
Davis of Dallas.	Pavlica.
Davis of Wood.	Pearce.
DeBerry.	Perdue.
Dielmann.	Petsch.
Dinkle.	Poage.
Downs.	Pool.
Dunlap.	Pope.
Dunn of Falls.	Powell.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Purl.
Durham.	Rawlins.
Elliott.	Renfro.
Enderby.	Rice.
Farrar.	Rogers.
Fields.	Rowell.
Finlay.	Rowland.
Florence.	Runge.
Fly.	Schleyer.
Forbes.	Shearer.
Foster.	Sheats.
Frnka.	Simmons.
Graves.	Simpson.
Gray.	Sinks.
Hagaman.	Smith of Nueces.
Hall of Harris.	Smith of Travis.
Hall of Mitchell.	Smyth.
Harman.	Sparks.
Harper.	Stell.
Hefley.	Stevenson.

Storey.
Stout.
Street.
Taylor.
Thompson.
Tomme.
Turner.
Veatch.
Walker.
Wallace
of Freestone.

Wallace of Panola.
Webb.
Wells.
Westbrook.
Wester.
Williams.
Williamson.
Woodall.
Woodruff.
Young.

Absent.

Blount.	McDougald.
Bonham.	Merritt.
Carter.	Sanford.
Hull.	Strong.
Irwin.	Teer.
Justice.	Wade.
Kenyon.	Wilson.
McBride.	

Absent—Excused.

Stevens.

A quorum was announced present.

Prayer was then offered by Rev. J. C. Mitchell, Chaplain.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED.

The following members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Blount for today, on motion of Mr. Jacks.

Mr. Carter for today and the remainder of the week, on motion of Mr. McKean.

Mr. Irwin for today and the remainder of the week, on motion of Mr. Harman.

Mr. Strong for today and the remainder of the week, on motion of Mr. Teer.

Mr. Hull for today, on motion of Mr. Cade.

The following member was granted leave of absence on account of illness:

Mr. McBride for today, on motion of Mr. High.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee:

By Mr. Pope:

H. B. No. 1, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 18-B, in Jones county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said

district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Pope:

H. B. No. 2, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4-A, in Jones county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Baker:

H. B. No. 3, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Orange county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Veatch:

H. B. No. 4, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Johnson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district;

approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Westbrook:

H. B. No. 5, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Grayson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Westbrook:

H. B. No. 6, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Grayson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Westbrook:

H. B. No. 7, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Grayson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Westbrook:

H. B. No. 8, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Grayson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Westbrook:

H. B. No. 9, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Grayson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Westbrook:

H. B. No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Grayson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Westbrook:

H. B. No. 11, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Grayson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by

the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Shearer:

H. B. No. 12, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Chambers county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Shearer:

H. B. No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Chambers county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Turner:

H. B. No. 14, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Leon county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their pay-

ment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Turner:

H. B. No. 15, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Leon county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Turner:

H. B. No. 16, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Leon county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. McKean:

H. B. No. 17, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Caldwell county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county

in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. McKean:

H. B. No. 18, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Caldwell county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. McKean:

H. B. No. 19, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Caldwell county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. McKean:

H. B. No. 20, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Caldwell county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. McKean:

H. B. No. 21, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Caldwell county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. McKean:

H. B. No. 22, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Caldwell county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Falls:

H. B. No. 23, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Falls county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Falls:

H. B. No. 24, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Falls county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by

the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Falls:

H. B. No. 25, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Falls county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Falls:

H. B. No. 26, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Falls county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Wallace of Panola:

H. B. No. 27, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Panola county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their pay-

ment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Wallace of Panola:

H. B. No. 28, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Panola county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Wallace of Panola:

H. B. No. 29, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Panola county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Wells:

H. B. No. 30, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Jackson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county

in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Wells:

H. B. No. 31, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Jackson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. No. 32, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Hill county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. No. 33, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Hill county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. No. 34, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Hill county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Taylor:

H. B. No. 35, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 15, in Hill county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 36, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 17, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 37, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 19, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by

the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 38, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 20, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 39, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 21, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 40, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 23, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their pay-

ment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 41, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 24, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 42, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 25, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 43, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 26, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county

in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 44, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 27, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dale:

H. B. No. 45, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 28, in Fannin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 46, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 47, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 48, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 49, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 50, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by

the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 51, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 52, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 53, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their pay-

ment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 54, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 55, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 56, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 12, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of

the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Downs:

H. B. No. 57, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 13, in Sabine county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. No. 58, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Smith county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. No. 59, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Smith county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Simpson:

H. B. No. 60, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Smith county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Brown:

H. B. No. 61, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Cherokee county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Brown:

H. B. No. 62, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Cherokee county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Brown:

H. B. No. 63, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Cherokee county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by

the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Brown:

H. B. No. 64, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Cherokee county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Limestone:

H. B. No. 65, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Limestone county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Limestone:

H. B. No. 66, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 10, in Limestone county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their pay-

ment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Limestone: •

H. B. No. 67, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 11, in Limestone county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 68, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 69, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county

in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 70, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 71, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 72, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 12, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 73, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 13, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 74, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 15, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 75, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 16, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 76, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 17, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by

the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 77, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 18, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barker and Mr. Bateman:

H. B. No. 78, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 19, in Collin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coffey and Mr. Lipscomb:

H. B. No. 79, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Denton county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their pay-

ment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coffey and Mr. Lipscomb:

H. B. No. 80, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Denton county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coffey and Mr. Lipscomb:

H. B. No. 81, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Denton county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Davis of Dallas, Mr. Jacks, Mr. Purl, Mr. Strong, Mr. Rawlins, and Mr. Irwin:

H. B. No. 82, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Dallas county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district;

approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Rice:

H. B. No. 83, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Houston county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Kinnear:

H. B. No. 84, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Jefferson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Gray:

H. B. No. 85, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Hemphill county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof,

and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Runge:

H. B. No. 86, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Kerr county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Petsch:

H. B. No. 87, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1 in Kendall county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Runge:

H. B. No. 88, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Bandera county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Runge:

H. B. No. 89, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No.

2, in Bandera county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. High:

H. B. No. 90, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Van Zandt county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. High:

H. B. No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Van Zandt county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Durham:

H. B. No. 92, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Dimmit county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization,

issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Durham:

H. B. No. 93, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Dimmit county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Durham:

H. B. No. 94, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Dimmit county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Rogers:

H. B. No. 95, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Shelby county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on

all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Rogers:

H. B. No. 96, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Shelby county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Sheats:

H. B. No. 97, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Robertson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Durham:

H. B. No. 98, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Uvalde county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof,

and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Wester:

H. B. No. 99, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Crosby county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Wester:

H. B. No. 100, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Crosby county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Graves:

H. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Erath county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Graves:

H. B. No. 102, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Erath county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Bean:

H. B. No. 103, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Newton county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Bean:

H. B. No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Newton county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Sinks:

H. B. No. 105, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Lee county, Texas; validat-

ing and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Sinks:

H. B. No. 106, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Lee county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Sinks:

H. B. No. 107, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Lee county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Hopkins:

H. B. No. 108, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Hopkins county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization,

issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Hopkins:

H. B. No. 109, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Hopkins county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Hopkins:

H. B. No. 110, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Hopkins county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Hopkins:

H. B. No. 111, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Hopkins county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district;

approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Hopkins:

H. B. No. 112, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Hopkins county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Dunn of Hopkins:

H. B. No. 113, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Hopkins county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coody:

H. B. No. 114, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Cass county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coody:

H. B. No. 115, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Cass county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coody:

H. B. No. 116, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Cass county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coody:

H. B. No. 117, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Cass county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coody:

H. B. No. 118, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 12, in Cass county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by

the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coody:

H. B. No. 119, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 14, in Cass county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Coody:

H. B. No. 120, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 15, in Cass county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. DeBerry:

H. B. No. 121, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Red River county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their pay-

ment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. DeBerry:

H. B. No. 122, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Red River county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. DeBerry:

H. B. No. 123, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Red River county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. DeBerry:

H. B. No. 124, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Red River county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of

the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. DeBerry:

H. B. No. 125, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Red River county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. DeBerry:

H. B. No. 126, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Red River county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. DeBerry:

H. B. No. 127, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Red River county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. DeBerry:

H. B. No. 128, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Red River county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Bryant:

H. B. No. 129, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Hall county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Bryant:

H. B. No. 130, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Hall county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Smith of Nueces:

H. B. No. 131, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Nueces county, Texas; validat-

ing and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. King:

H. B. No. 132, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Haskell county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Parish:

H. B. No. 133, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Runnels county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Parish:

H. B. No. 134, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Runnels county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds

thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Atkinson:

H. B. No. 135, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Grayson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Cummings:

H. B. No. 136, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Taylor county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Cummings:

H. B. No. 137, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Taylor county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of

the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Cummings:

H. B. No. 138, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Taylor county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Cummings:

H. B. No. 139, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Taylor county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Cummings:

H. B. No. 140, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Taylor county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Simmons:

H. B. No. 141, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Bowie county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Simmons:

H. B. No. 142, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Bowie county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Simmons:

H. B. No. 143, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Bowie county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Pavlica:

H. B. No. 144, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Fayette county, Texas; validat-

ing and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Pavlica:

H. B. No. 145, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Fayette county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Pavlica:

H. B. No. 146, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Fayette county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Mankin:

H. B. No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Burnet county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization,

issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Barron:

H. B. No. 148, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Brazos county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Avis:

H. B. No. 149, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Wichita county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. No. 150, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Lavaca county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on

all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Thompson:

H. B. No. 151, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Lavaca county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Webb:

H. B. No. 152, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Reeves county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Teer:

H. B. No. 153, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 90, in Williamson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds

and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Teer:

H. B. No. 154, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 91, in Williamson county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Merritt:

H. B. No. 155, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Stonewall county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Smyth:

H. B. No. 156, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Lamb county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Smyth:

H. B. No. 157, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Briscoe county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Smyth:

H. B. No. 158, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 8, in Briscoe county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Bastrop:

H. B. No. 159, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Bastrop county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Bastrop:

H. B. No. 160, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Bastrop county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by

the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Bastrop:

H. B. No. 161, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Bastrop county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Bastrop:

H. B. No. 162, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Bastrop county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Bastrop:

H. B. No. 163, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Bastrop county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their pay-

ment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Alexander of Bastrop:

H. B. No. 164, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 9, in Bastrop county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Anderson:

H. B. No. 165, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Waller county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Anderson:

H. B. No. 166, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Waller county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of

the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Anderson:

H. B. No. 167, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Fort Bend county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Anderson:

H. B. No. 168, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 7, in Fort Bend county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Renfro:

H. B. No. 169, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Comanche county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof,

and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Renfro:

H. B. No. 170, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 4, in Comanche county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Renfro:

H. B. No. 171, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5, in Comanche county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Frnka:

H. B. No. 172, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Austin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Frnka:

H. B. No. 173, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 3, in Austin county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Frnka:

H. B. No. 174, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Colorado county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Hall of Mitchell:

H. B. No. 175, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Nolan county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Hall of Mitchell:

H. B. No. 176, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No.

5, in Fisher county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Hall of Mitchell:

H. B. No. 177, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 6, in Fisher county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Runge:

H. B. No. 178, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Menard county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Runge:

H. B. No. 179, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Kimble county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization,

issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Runge:

H. B. No. 180, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1, in Mason county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Runge:

H. B. No. 181, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 2, in Mason county, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the commissioners court of said county, in respect to the organization of said district; validating the authorization, issuance and sale of certain road bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said road district; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in respect of said road district, bonds and taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

By Mr. Wester:

H. B. No. 182, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the authorization, issuance and sale of Cochran county special road bonds, and providing for their payment, for the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said Cochran county, Texas; approving and validating all orders of the commissioners court of said county in re-

spect to said Cochran county special road bonds and taxes, and the payment thereof, or the certified copy thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence, and declaring an emergency."

EXTENDING SYMPATHY TO HON. R. B. STEVENS.

Mr. McGill offered the following resolution:

Whereas, It has been made known to the House that our fellow member Hon. R. B. Stevens has been seriously ill and is in such weakened condition that he is unable to attend the present session; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we extend to Mr. Stevens and his wife our sincere sympathy for him during his sickness and suffering; that we deeply regret his absence and we earnestly hope that he will soon be restored to health and be able to render the same efficient service to his State and district in the future as he has in the past; be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk mail a certified copy of this resolution to Mr. Stevens.

Signed—McGill, Pool.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

PROVIDING FOR INVESTIGATION OF STATE DEPARTMENTS.

Mr. King offered the following resolution:

Providing for an investigation of State departments and the administration of public affairs by the State Highway Commission and contracts let through the State Highway Commission, beginning with January 1, 1925, and for an investigation into the granting of pardons and the letting of text-book contracts, by a committee of the House of Representatives appointed therefor, and defining the powers and duties of said committee, and making an appropriation from the mileage and per diem and contingent fund for the payment of the expenses of said committee.

Whereas, Certain suits have been filed and tried challenging the validity of certain contracts let by the Highway Commission of Texas during the year 1925, in one of which suits a judgment was entered finding that the contracts in question had been let in abuse of official discretion and for an

unconscionable consideration, and in another of such suits the jury found upon special issues that there had been probable fraud in the letting of such contracts; and

Whereas, Facts are known to exist which have created a necessity and a general demand upon the part of the people that the affairs of the State Highway Department be made the subject of an investigation; and

Whereas, During the past twenty months there have been more than two thousand acts of executive clemency, including pardons, paroles, furloughs, reprieves and commutations, and there has been a general criticism and condemnation of many of such acts of clemency, and there exists a necessity and a general demand for an investigation into the granting of such pardons and the facts connected therewith; and

Whereas, In the matter of letting contracts for books for the use of the school children of Texas, litigation and criticism have been directed towards the conduct of the Text-Book Commission and the agencies and influences invoked to affect its action in the performance of book contracts; and

Whereas, The public interest imperatively demands a thorough investigation of all charges and complaints against the agencies which control or manage the affairs of the State, in whole or in part, to the end that guilt, if guilt there be, be established, mistakes corrected, and reforms had which will advance and protect the public welfare as far as is humanly possible; and

Whereas, The platform adopted by the Democratic party at its last convention asked for an investigation of public affairs; and

Whereas, The Texas Legislature is the only body with proper power to act, investigate and by law to remedy conditions found to be wrong and intolerable, and probably bring to justice those who are guilty of such wrongs; and

Whereas, The term of this Called Session will be far too short during which to make a proper investigation, report and act in regard thereto; now therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That a committee of nine members of the House of Representatives be appointed by the Speaker from among its members, whose duty it shall be to conduct an investigation into the administration of highway affairs by

the State Highway Commission since January 1, 1925, and the contracts let by said Commission during said time; to investigate the manner in which the public funds have been expended by the State Highway Commission; to investigate the manner in which contracts have been let by said Commission; and generally to investigate all and every act of said Commission since said date; to investigate the granting of pardons, paroles, furloughs, reprieves and commutation of sentence and the facts and circumstances connected with the granting of such acts of clemency since January 1, 1925; to investigate the letting of contracts for the purchase of text-books and the facts surrounding the letting of such contracts; and to investigate into the administration of public affairs by such other departments of the State government, since January 1, 1925, as in the judgment of said committee may be necessary and for the promotion of the public good.

Sec. 2. That said committee shall have power to formulate its own rules of procedure and evidence, and to provide for its own hours of meeting and adjournment. Said committee shall sit in the Capitol at Austin during its sessions. The sessions of said committee shall be open to the public, except at such times as the committee may, by a majority vote, determine to hold executive sessions. The chairman of said committee shall be named by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the committee shall elect its own secretary and employ its sergeant-at-arms.

Sec. 3. That the committee shall have power to issue process for witnesses to any place in this State and to compel their attendance and the production of books and records; and upon the disobedience of any subpoena, said committee shall have power to issue attachments, which may be addressed to and served by either the sergeant-at-arms appointed by said committee or by the sheriff or any constable of any county of this State. Said committee shall have power to inspect and take copies of any books, records or files of any department or officer, or their appointees or employees, under investigation by said committee, and also shall have power to examine and audit the books of any person, firm or corporation holding a contract or contracts with the State of Texas. The committee shall further have power to administer oaths and

affirmations, and to fix the bond of attached witnesses.

Sec. 4. That witnesses attending the sessions of said committee under process shall be allowed the same mileage and per diem as is allowed witnesses in the trial of criminal cases in the district court.

Sec. 5. That said committee shall have power and authority to employ and compensate all necessary experts, investigators, attorneys, stenographers, clerks, auditors, and all other necessary employes, and it shall be the duty of said committee to make and keep a record of its investigation. The testimony heard by said committee shall be stenographically reported and the same shall be transcribed and reduced to writing. That one of the purposes of this resolution and investigation is to facilitate the work of the Fortieth Legislature in this matter, and such record of such investigation and testimony taken shall be supplied by said committee to the Fortieth Legislature.

Sec. 6. That said committee may call upon the Attorney General's Department for assistance and advice, and it shall be the duty of the Attorney General's Department to render opinions, give counsel and assistance to said committee upon the request of the chairman or members of said committee.

Sec. 7. That said committee shall begin its investigation following the adjournment of the present Special Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, and shall have authority to sit after the adjournment of the present session of the House of Representatives and continue to make said investigation at any and all times between the adjournment of the present session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature and the convening of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature. The compensation of the members of said committee shall be five dollars per day for the actual number of days of service in performing said duties, and in addition thereto they shall be entitled to actual traveling expenses and hotel bills incurred in the performance of such duties. That the per diem and expenses of the members of said committee, witness fees, and all other expenses incident to such investigation shall be paid out of the appropriation for mileage and per diem and contingent expenses of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, upon the sworn account of the persons entitled to such pay, when approved by the chairman of said committee, and

sufficient money is hereby appropriated out of the mileage and per diem and contingent fund of the said First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature to meet the payment of such per diem and expenses of the members of said committee, witness fees, and other expenses incident to said investigation.

Signed—Lipscomb, Purl, Petsch, Wells, Baker of Orange, Nicholson, McDonald, Bobbitt, Kinnear, Harper, Hall of Harris, Sheats, Cummings, Covey, Rawlins, Teer, Cox of Navarro, Young, Powell, Wester, Dielmann, Williamson, Montgomery, Kayton, McKean, Rogers, Avis, Dunn of Falls, Coody, Schleyer, Forbes, Fields, Stout, Conway, Dinkle, Sinks, McGill, Smyth, Boggs, Hall of Mitchell, Pope, Smith, DeBerry, Sparks, Kemble, Stevenson, Dunn of Hopkins, Merritt.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Purl, the resolution was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

INVITING SENATE TO JOIN IN INVESTIGATION OF STATE DEPARTMENTS.

Mr. Petsch offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The House of Representatives did on this the 14th day of September, 1926, receive a resolution, dealing with and providing for an investigation of the State Departments therein named; and

Whereas, This body recognizes the fact that the Senate is equally as responsible for the legislative matters of State as the House of Representatives; and

Whereas, The House of Representatives would but for the peculiar and unusual conditions of the official affairs of State, as they exist today, have been disposed to initiate the aforesaid investigation by means of a concurrent resolution, providing for a joint committee; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said resolution does not in any way or manner reflect on the Senate of Texas; and that should the Senate of Texas pass a resolution similar to the one offered in this body, and should committees be appointed under each of them, that then and in such case, the House committee be instructed to invite the Senate committee to join them in the investigation and that said committees, if agreeable to the Senate committee, conduct their work jointly.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Petsch, the resolution was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, September 13, 1926.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed

S. C. R. No. 1, Providing for adoption of joint rules of Regular Session of Thirty-ninth Legislature.

S. B. No. 2, Making appropriations to pay per diem and mileage of members, officers and employees of First Called Session of Thirty-ninth Legislature.

S. C. R. No. 3, Extending support of Legislature to Commissioners of Cotton States.

Respectfully,
MORRIS C. HANKINS,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

RELATING TO APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR AID OF RURAL SCHOOLS.

Mr. Laird offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Our State is faced with an eleven dollar and fifty cent (\$11.50) apportionment for our common schools during the present school year; and

Whereas, The House of Representatives in the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature passed a bill appropriating four million dollars (\$4,000,000) to supplement the available school fund; and

Whereas, This bill failed to pass the Senate, thereby causing a deplorable condition in the schools of our State, which will result in many of our country schools having only a four or five months school term, whereas a fifteen dollar (\$15.00) apportionment is universally recognized as necessary to run our schools for a reasonable length of time; and

Whereas, The education of the children of this State is one of the first duties of our government; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, respectfully request the Governor to recommend at this session of the Legislature, the passage of a bill appropriating sufficient money out of the general revenue to supplement the available

school fund, to the end that our schools may have a fifteen dollar (\$15.00) apportionment for the present school year.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

ELECTION OF ASSISTANT READING CLERK.

The Speaker stated that if there was no objection he would request the applicants for Assistant Reading Clerk to come forward and read a section of the Constitution as a test of reading, and that it would not be necessary to nominate anyone for the position.

There was no objection offered.

M. B. Brown was then requested to read a section of the State Constitution.

Percy Foreman was then requested to read a section of the State Constitution.

The Speaker appointed the following members to take up and count the ballots:

Messrs. Lane, Wells and Renfro.

The vote being taken up and counted, resulted as follows:

Percy Foreman received 100 votes.

M. B. Brown received 25 votes.

Speaker Satterwhite then stated that Percy Foreman, having received the majority of all votes cast, was duly elected Assistant Reading Clerk of the House.

The Speaker then administered the constitutional oath of office to him.

SENATE BILL ON FIRST READING.

The following Senate bill, received from the Senate today, was laid before the House, read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee as follows:

Senate bill No. 2, to the Committee on Appropriations.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS ANNOUNCED.

The Speaker announced the following committee assignments:

Mr. Powell as Chairman of Committee on Education.

Mr. Young as Vice-Chairman of Committee on Education.

Mr. Woodall—Banks and Banking, Insurance, and Privileges, Suffrage and Elections.

Mr. Turner—Common Carriers, Conservation and Reclamation, and Constitutional Amendments.

Mr. Hornaday—Conservation and Reclamation, Contingent Expenses (Vice-Chairman), and Municipal and Private Corporations.

Mr. Forbes—Liquor Traffic, Highways and Motor Traffic, Labor, and Military Affairs (Vice-Chairman).

Mr. Hall of Mitchell—Insurance, Penitentiaries, Education, and Appropriations.

Mr. Wallace of Panola—Common Carriers, Game and Fisheries, Penitentiaries, and Oil, Gas and Mining.

Mr. Anderson—Commerce and Manufactures, Public Health, Public Lands and Buildings, and Agriculture.

Mr. Hefley—Examination of Comptroller's and Treasurer's Accounts, Labor, and Live Stock and Stock Raising.

Mr. Fly—State Affairs, Live Stock and Stock Raising, and Penitentiaries.

Mr. Elliott—Public Printing, Examination of Comptroller's and Treasurer's Accounts, and Liquor Traffic.

Mr. Schleyer—Agriculture, Claims and Accounts, and Public Health.

Mr. Williams—Common Carriers, Criminal Jurisprudence, Military Affairs, Municipal and Private Corporations, and Judiciary.

Mr. Street—Criminal Jurisprudence, Commerce and Manufactures, Insurance, and Privileges, Suffrage and Elections.

RECESS.

On motion of Mr. Hall of Harris, the House, at 11:30 o'clock a. m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m. today.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

SENATE BILL NO. 2 ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Hall of Harris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 2 be placed on its second reading and passage to third reading and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Mr. Speaker.	Barker.
Acker.	Barron.
Albritton.	Bateman.
Alexander	Bean.
of Bastrop.	Bird.
Alexander	Boggs.
of Limestone.	Brown.
Avis.	Bryant.
Baker.	Cade.

Coffey.	McGill.
Coody.	McKean.
Covey.	Merritt.
Cox of Lamar.	Moore.
Cox of Navarro.	Nicholson.
Cummings.	Parish.
Dale.	Pavlica.
Daniels.	Pearce.
Davis of Dallas.	Perdue.
DeBerry.	Petsch.
Dielmann.	Pool.
Dinkle.	Pope.
Downs.	Powell.
Dunn of Falls.	Purl.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Renfro.
Elliott.	Rogers.
Farrar.	Rowell.
Fields.	Rowland.
Florence.	Schleyer.
Fly.	Shearer.
Forbes.	Sheats.
Graves.	Simmons.
Gray.	Simpson.
Hagaman.	Sinks.
Hall of Harris.	Smith of Nueces.
Hall of Mitchell.	Smith of Travis.
Harman.	Smyth.
Harper.	Stout.
Hefley.	Street.
High.	Teer.
Hornaday.	Thompson.
Jacks.	Veatch.
Jones.	Walker.
Kayton.	Wallace
King.	of Freestone.
Kinnear.	Wallace of Panola.
Laird.	Webb.
Lane of Hamilton.	Wells.
Lane of Harrison.	Westbrook.
Lipscomb.	Wester.
Mankin.	Williams.
Masterson.	Williamson.
Maxwell.	Woodall.
McDonald.	Young.
McFarlane.	

Nays—2.

Johnson. Morris.

Absent.

Anderson.	Low.
Atkinson.	McDougald.
Bobbitt.	Montgomery.
Bonham.	Poage.
Conway.	Rawlins.
Davis of Wood.	Rice.
Dunlap.	Runge.
Durham.	Sanford.
Enderby.	Sparks.
Finlay.	Stell.
Foster.	Stevenson.
Frnka.	Storey.
Jordan.	Taylor.
Justice.	Tomme.
Kemble.	Turner.
Kenyon.	Wade.
Kittrell.	Wilson.
Loftin.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Blount.	McBride.
Carter.	Stevens.
Hull.	Strong.
Irwin.	

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading.

S. B. No. 2, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay the per diem and mileage of members and per diem of officers and employes of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature of the State of Texas; to pay the unpaid warrants held by members, officers and employes of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature; to pay the per diem of the employes for post-session work of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature; to pay the contingent expenses of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature of the State of Texas; to pay the contingent expenses of the post-session of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature and to pay the contingent expenses of the pre-session work of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature; to pay the per diem of the members, officers and employes for the pre-session work of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, convened on the 13th day of September, 1926, by proclamation of the Governor; providing how accounts may be approved, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 2 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 2 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Mr. Speaker.	Bobbitt.
Acker.	Boggs.
Albritton.	Brown.
Alexander	Bryant.
of Bastrop.	Cade.
Alexander	Coffey.
of Limestone.	Coody.
Anderson.	Covey.
Avis.	Cox of Lamar.
Baker.	Cox of Navarro.
Barker.	Cummings.
Barron.	Dale.
Bateman.	Daniels.
Bean.	Davis of Dallas.
Bird.	DeBerry.

Dielmann.	Nicholson.
Dinkle.	Parish.
Downs.	Pavlica.
Dunn of Falls.	Pearce.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Perdue.
Elliott.	Petsch.
Farrar.	Pool.
Fields.	Pope.
Florence.	Powell.
Fly.	Purl.
Forbes.	Renfro.
Graves.	Rogers.
Gray.	Rowell.
Hagaman.	Rowland.
Hall of Harris.	Schleyer.
Hall of Mitchell.	Shearer.
Harman.	Sheats.
Harper.	Simmons.
Hefley.	Simpson.
High.	Smith of Nueces.
Hornaday.	Smith of Travis.
Jacks.	Smyth.
Johnson.	Stout.
Jones.	Street.
Kayton.	Teer.
Kinnear.	Thompson.
Laird.	Veatch.
Lane of Hamilton.	Walker.
Lane of Harrison.	Wallace
Lipscomb.	of Freestone.
Low.	Wallace of Panola.
Mankin.	Webb.
Masterson.	Wells.
Maxwell.	Westbrook.
McDonald.	Wester.
McFarlane.	Williamson.
McGill.	Woodall.
McKean.	Woodruff.
Merritt.	Young.
Moore.	

Nays—1.

Morris.

Absent.

Atkinson.	Montgomery.
Bonham.	Poage.
Conway.	Rawlins.
Davis of Wood.	Rice.
Dunlap.	Runge.
Durham.	Sanford.
Enderby.	Sinks.
Finlay.	Sparks.
Foster.	Stell.
Frnka.	Stevenson.
Jordan.	Storey.
Justice.	Taylor.
Kemble.	Tomme.
Kenyon.	Turner.
King.	Wade.
Kittrell.	Williams.
Loftin.	Wilson.
McDougald.	

Absent—Excused.

Blount.	Hull.
Carter.	Irwin.

McBride.	Strong.
Stevens.	

ADOPTING JOINT RULES.

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 1, Adopting joint rules. Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the joint rules of the House and Senate of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature be and the same are hereby adopted as the joint rules of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

RELATING TO PRICE OF COTTON.

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 3, Relating to price of cotton.

Whereas, The commissioners of agriculture of the cotton states expect to assemble in Dallas on September 17, looking to a better price for the cotton crop of 1926; and

Whereas, It now appears the cotton crop in some of the states and especially the cotton crop in Texas will be materially reduced in volume; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That we express the hope that the commissioners of agriculture of the cotton states and the individuals and associations in the cotton states interested in this movement may take such steps as are necessary to aid the cotton farmers of the South in obtaining for their cotton crop a price for their cotton equivalent to the cost of production plus a reasonable profit. The members of the Legislature of Texas are vitally interested in this program and extend our support and sympathy to this undertaking.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

APPOINTMENT OF PAGE.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Weyland Ellis as page.

ADJOURNMENT.

On motion of Mr. Hall of Harris, the House, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m. tomorrow.

In Memory
of
Hon. Dave W. Dixon

Mr. Cox of Lamar offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Since the last session of the Legislature there has departed this life one of our former members, the Hon. Dave W. Dixon, a member of the Thirty-second, Thirty-third, and Thirty-fourth Legislatures from Lamar county; and

Whereas, The Hon. Dave W. Dixon was a true Christian gentleman of the highest type, and a life-long Democrat, a distinguished statesman, and a worthy citizen of Texas; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of the Thirty-ninth Legislature at its First Called Session pay its respects to his memory for the loss of such a useful citizen of the State by spreading these resolutions on its Journal, and that a page be set apart therefor, and that a copy thereof be sent to his surviving wife at Paris, Texas.

COX of Lamar,
STELL.

The resolution was read second time and was unanimously adopted.